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REMARKS

Claims 1-49 and 54 are pending in the application.

Objection to December 1, 2009 Office Action

The December 1, 2009 Office Action indicated that applicant's reply dated August 19, 2009 was a non-compliant amendment and that a listing of the claims should have been included with the reply. It is noted that applicant's August 19, 2009 Communication did not contain an amendment to either the specification or to the claims; accordingly, the August 19, 2009 Communication cannot be a non-compliant amendment. Applicant's August 19, 2009 Communication was a reply to an election of species requirement. Applicant's undersigned attorney is unaware of any requirement that a reply to an election of species requirement must contain a listing of the claims if there are no amendments being made to the claims. Nevertheless, in order to comply with the December 1, 2009 Notice, a listing of the claims is included with this reply.

No fee is deemed necessary in connection with the submission of this Communication. However, if any fee is required to maintain the pendency of the subject application, authorization is hereby given to withdraw the amount of any such fee from Deposit Account No. 01-1785.

Respectfully submitted,

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